CALIFORNIA'S AGING POPULATION: IMPLICATIONS FOR HOUSING

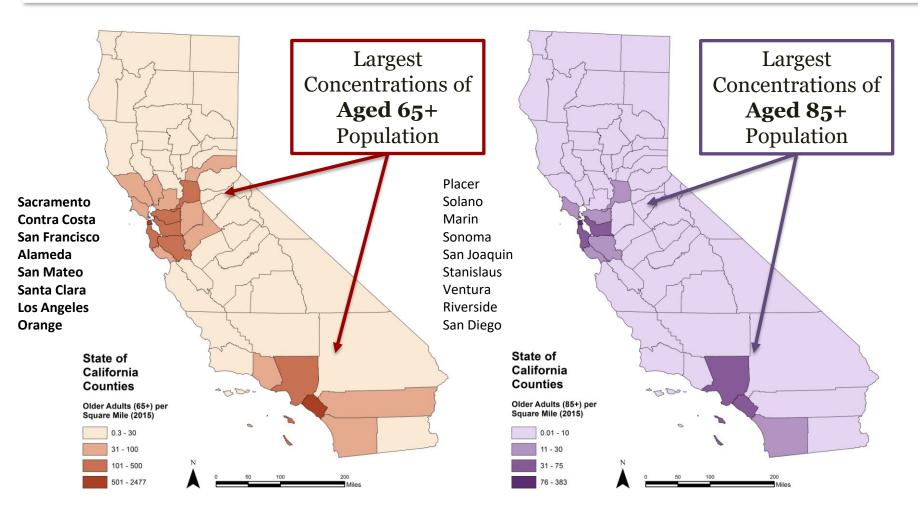
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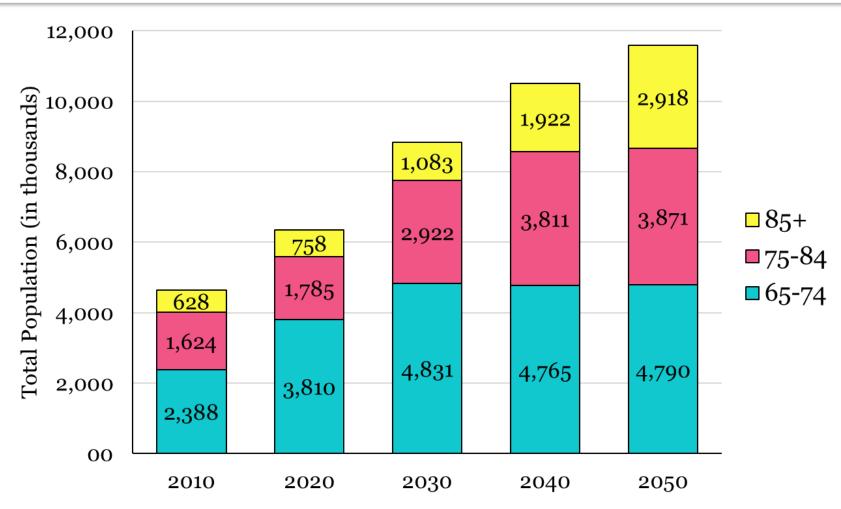


California's Older Population by County, 2015



Source: American Community Survey (2015). Map created by Stephen Frochen, USC.

Projected Older Population by Age, 2010-2050



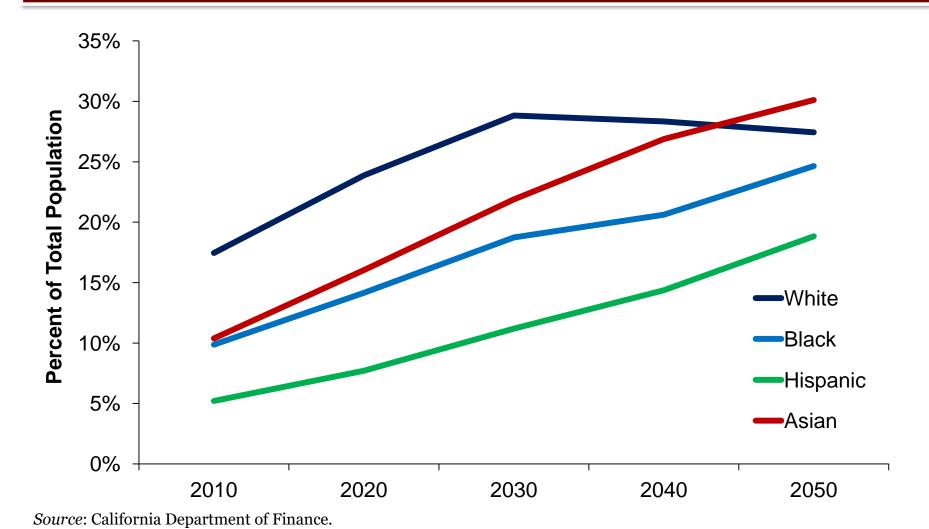
Source: California Department of Finance.

California's Most Rapidly Aging Counties

Top 10 Counties

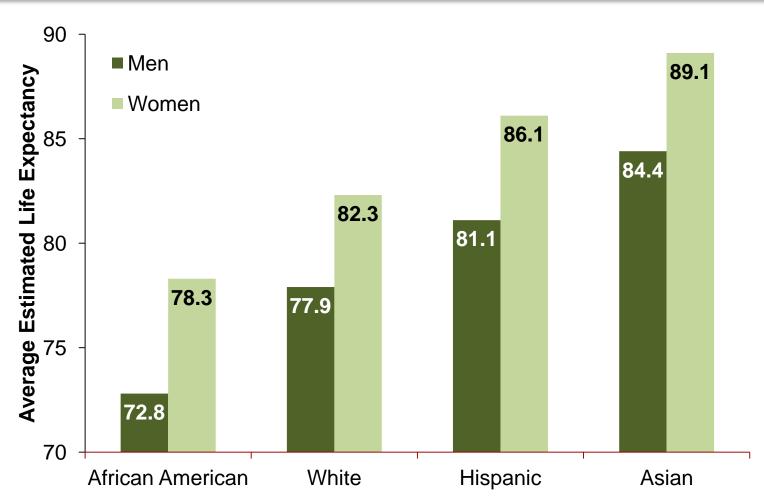
1.	Riverside	+246%
2.	Santa Clara	+201%
3.	San Bernardino	+201%
4.	Alameda	+193%
5.	Contra Costa	+191%
6.	Sacramento	+186%
7.	Los Angeles	+168%
8.	San Francisco	+157%
9.	Orange	+149%
10.	San Diego	+144%

Projected 65+ Pop. by Race/Ethnicity, 2010-2050



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Life Expectancy by Race/Ethnicity



Source: A Portrait of California 2014-2015. Social Science Research Council.



The Looming Eldercare Housing Crisis

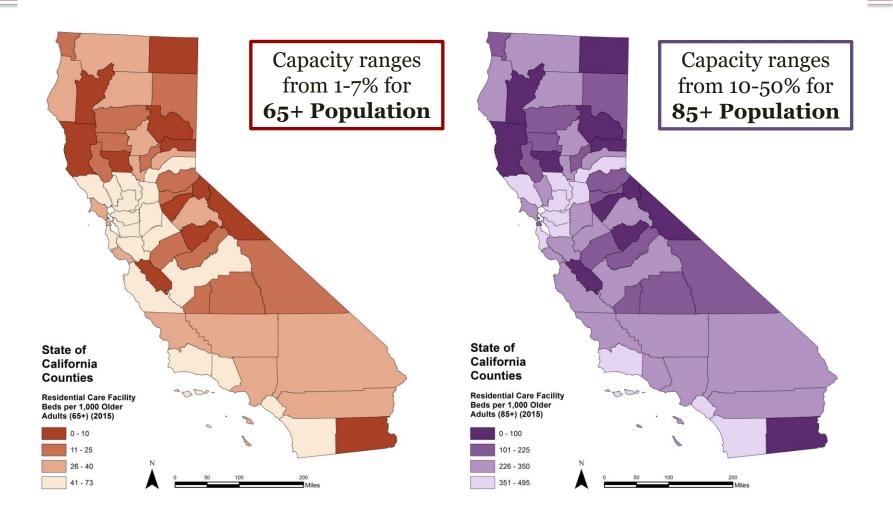
Licensed residential care facilities in CA provide beds for only ~3% of adults 60+ in urban areas; even fewer in suburban and rural areas (SCAN Foundation, 2011)

Older adults should be able to age in their communities or near family, but...

"There are too few choices and none located in the neighborhood"



Residential Care Capacity by County, 2015





- CA has largest homeless population in the nation
- Adults 50+ make up 31% of the nation's homeless population
 - > 50+ are 47% of LA homeless population

African Americans make up only 9% of LA County older adult population, but 45% of the homeless population

Population Ages 50+ in the County and among Homeless



